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1. [redacted] PRELIMINARY REPORT FROM GENERAL THANG ABOUT OUTRMME OF JUNE 30 MEETING OF MILITARY MEMBERS OF DIRECTORATE. WE HAVE SINCE HAD CONFIRMATION FROM [redacted] IN PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE THAT A DECISION WAS IN FACT REACHED AT THE MEETING ACCORDING TO WHICH A NEW JOINT TICKET WILL BE PRESENTED WITH THIEU AS PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE AND KY AS VICE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE. [redacted] WAS NOT SURE THAT A PRESS CONFERENCE WOULD BE HELD BUT SAID THAT THE NECESSARY PAPERS FOR FILING A NEW TICKET WERE BEING PGTPARED FOR PRESENTATION TO THE AUTHORITIES AT THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.

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2. WE WILL BE FORWARDING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS IT DEVELOPS, TOGETHER WITH COMMENT ON THIS NEW DEVELOPMENT.

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